

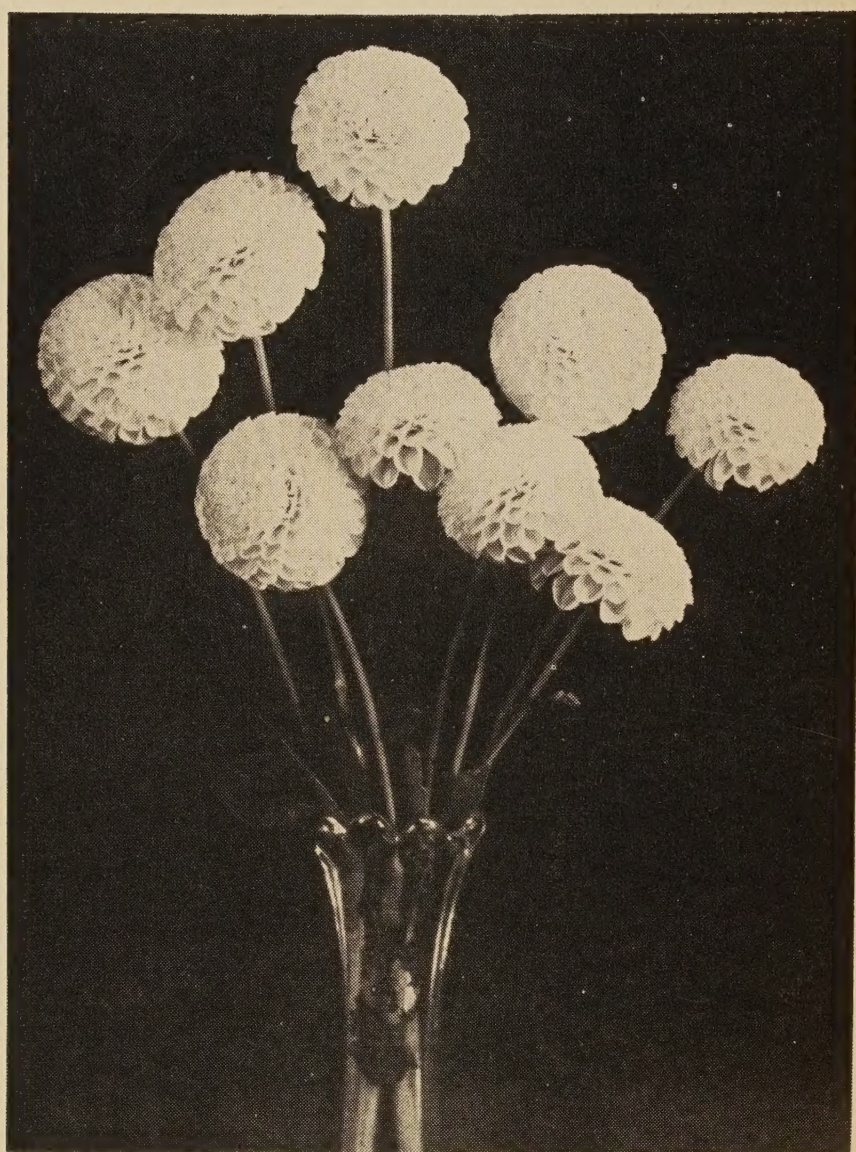
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STATION ANNOUNCEMENT

PLEASE read this entire page carefully.

This is our 17th. annual catalogue and looking over the past numbers we realize what a great stride DAHLIAS have made in the past 10 years. Very few Dahlias offered today are not of the highest caliber. When we get new numbers and they do not come up to our standard of DESIRABLE DAHLIAS we do not offer them to the public. All our stock is proven good before it is listed. NORTHWEST grown stock is known the world over, of which there is none better.

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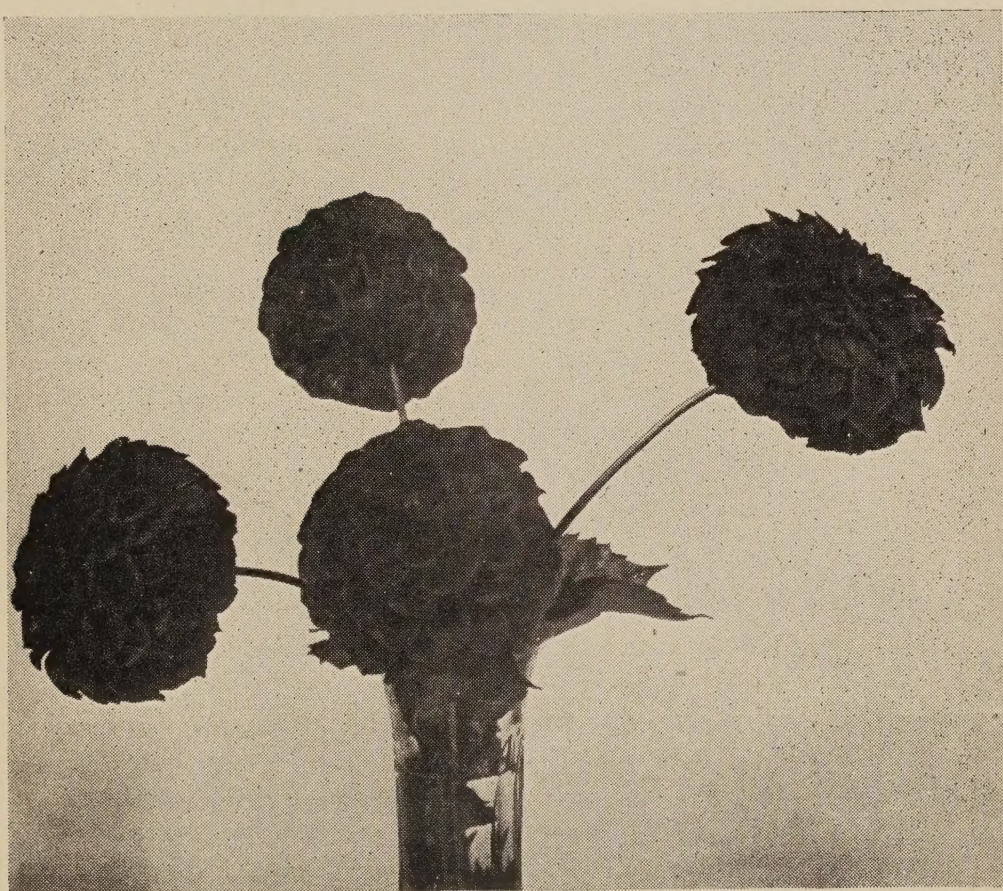
F.D.—Formal Decorative
I.D.—Informal Decorative
S.C.—Semi Cactus

Cac.—Cactus
Pom.—Pom Pon
Col.—Collarette

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For your 1947 Gardens

AILSA BELLE (Hulin)—Informal of good size on extra long stiff stems. The color is raspberry red with a lighter reverse.	\$1.00
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AZURA , I.D.—Extra large pure rose lilac. Tall bush75
BALLAY ROUGE , I.C.—A splendid cactus on the best of stems. The color is an unfading bright red. Bush very rugged and well branched. Good producer	5.00
BLUE HORIZON , I.D.—This Dahlia has class in a big way. One of the best we have ever seen in this color class which is clear french violet. Bushes are tall and stems are real long	3.50
BLUE RIVER , F.D.—Low bush with large lilac mauve blooms50



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BLACK MONARCH , I.D.—A large very dark red on vigorous well branched bushes. Not a very free bloomer but good	5.00
CALIFORNIA IDOL , I.D.—A grand yellow on the best of stems50
CHARLES MASTICK , F.D.—Very full flower of deep apricot on real stiff stems. Exceptionally good keeper75
CHEER LEADER , F.D. — Large deep lavender pink. Stiff stems and a good keeper when cut	1.00
CHEROKEE BRAVE , F.D.—Large Ox-Blood red, profuse bloomer	1.00

CLARA CARDER, F.D. —Extra large clear pink on the stiffest of stems. A novelty from Australia .....	.50
CLARA CLEMENS, F.D. — Nearly a ball of six inches. Lovely shade of red with white tips. Stems long and firm .....	.50
CLASSMAN, I.D. — Large creamy yellow with veins of lavender. The plants are tall and well covered with blooms on stiff stems .....	.75
COMMANDO, F.D. —A very clean shade of dark lavender that can be grown to extra large size. Early bloomer and stems are long and stiff. A good root maker	1.00
CONVENTION CITY, I.D. —Very heavy flower of deep copper shades on stout stems. Blooms partly on top .....	.75
COLOR SKETCH, F.D. —Rose pink with stripes and spots of white. A free bloomer of seven inch flowers on stiff stems	1.00
DARCY SAINSBURY, F.D. —A large pure white from Australia that is one of the best whites we grow. Splendid keeper .....	.75
DIA WONG, F.D. —Large clear yellow on the best of stems	1.00
D-100%, I.D. —Large blooms of deep rose pink. Bush and stems ideal	1.50
DR. KENNETH TAYLOR, I.D. —Tall bush with plenty of striking scarlet red flowers from 8 to 9 inches on the best of stems. One of the best reds we grow. It does not burn or fade	3.50
DIXIE'S WINE DOT, I.D. —Large white flecked and splashed with wine red. Very attractive on long stiff stems	2.00
EDNA FERBER, S.C. —Glistening coral shading to gold at base. This is one of the good older numbers .....	.50
ENCHANTRESS, I.D. — Very lovely light bronze on good long stiff stems. Average size 9 inches. Profuse bloomer .....	.75
EVELYN CHANDLER, F.D. —Large golden apricot, a self color. The large blooms are way above the bush on stiff stems	1.00
FIREBALL, F.D. —Medium size dazzling red on good stems .....	.50
FIGARO, S.C. —Size and shape of Satan but yellow with red stripes	1.00
FIVE STAR GENERAL, F.D. —One of the best of the 1946 Novelties. The huge blooms are a clear Amaranth pink. Wonderful keeper	7.50
FRANCIS LAROCCO, F.D. — Bright yellow, on best of stems. Fine keeper .....	.50
FRANK HAVERNER, Ball —Large dark purple on best of stems	1.00
FLORIST'S BEAUTY, F.D. —Medium size bi-color of Amaranth Purple with white tipped pointed petals. The bush is ideal and the stems hold the blooms way up. It is an extra kood keeper and the centers perfectly tight. One of the best commercials	3.50
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- GOLD COMMISSIONER, F.D.**—Tall bushes with large golden blooms way up on long stems. One of the best formals in this color **1.00**



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- JEFFERSONIAN, F.D.**—A very striking mauve pink full and deep on good strong stems. Every one likes this 1.00
- JIMMY FOXX, I.D.**—Copper red with shades of henna. Large size50
- JERSEY'S DAINTY, F.D.**—Medium size pure white cactus50
- JOSEPHINE G., F.D.**—Medium size pink with gold tips50
- KENTUCKY, F.D.**—Salmon pink sport of Jersey's Beauty. Same bush50
- KENTUCKY COLONEL, F.D.**—Medium size blooms of light lavender with veins of white. Extra good cut flower on long stems50
- KIRSTEN FLAGSTAFF, F.D.**—One of the best of recent introductions being a pure gold on extra long stiff stems. Very early and free bloomer for such a large flower 5.00
- LADY GARTMORE, F.D.**—Very attractive ox-blood red on good stems. The large blooms are fine keepers. Tall bush 3.00
- LE GRANDE MANITOU, F.D.**—Six inch bloom of light purple with white stripes50
- LINK'S GORGEOUS, I.D.**—Beautiful blend of light yellow to scarlet pink. Extra large blooms on good stems 1.00

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LOUISE BATES, S.C. —Beautiful light pink with phlox purple center in an immense size bloom. The blooms are freely produced. GOOD	1.00
LEAH PEARL, F.D. — Nearly a ball of pastel shades, lemon yellow overcast with lavender pink. Very attractive. Good keeper	1.00
MARIE, F.D. —A real pink of 5 to 6 inches on long stems. A splendid cutter .....	.50
MARSHALL'S PINK, F.D. — A true pink in a splendid commercial type, keeping well when cut. Average size 8 inches .....	.50
MARSHALL KERNOCHAN, F.D. —Nearly a ball dahlia of six inches on real long stiff stems. Bush covered with bloom from early till late. One of the very best cut flower types we carry of clear carmine .....	.75
MARY TAYLOR, Cac. —Lovely delicate flesh color with yellow at the base. Good stems and profuse bloomer	1.00
MARY RAGGIO, F.D. —Clear bright yellow of 8 inch size and one of the best yellow we grow. A four day keeper as a cut flower on stems plenty long. Tall bush and rugged grower	1.50
MAYOR OTIS, I.D. —One of the largest Dahlias grown. Golden yellow with a touch of copper. Medium low bush	1.00
MISS OAKLAND, F.D. —Clear pure white of good size on stiff stems .....	.50
MISS LONG ISLAND, I.D. —Large size watermelon pink. The blooms are large and very attractive. Nice bush	1.00
MOTHER'S DAY, I.D. —Tall bushes with extra large creamy white blooms on good stems. Australia novelty	1.00
MICHIGAN WHITE, F.D. —A fine cutting variety of clear white. The blooms are 5 to 6 inches and very prolific .....	.75
MONARCH OF THE EAST, F.D. —Perhaps one of the most robust growing Dahlias we have today. The extra large blooms are a cadmium yellow and come partly on top of cane like stems .....	.75
MRS. MINNIVER, Cac. —Very delicate incurved lavender of six to seven inches on good stems. A faint line of white on outer petals	1.50
MRS. GEO. LE BOUTELLIER, F.D. —One of the largest bright reds on the market but the blooms are a little heavy for the stems. It is a fine variety for floating .....	.50
MOZART, Ball — Large pure white ball, stiff stems .....	.75
NAGEL'S ORANGE, Cac. —Very fine clear orange on strong stems. The size is 7 inches grown normally. Free bloomer .....	.75
OGDEN REID, F.D. —Large flower of light mauve pink. Good vigorous bush producing lots of blooms on long stems, slightly curved	7.50
PEARL HARBOR, I.D. — Rose lavender flecked with dark purple which appears blood red. 8 to 10 inch blooms are very deep	1.50
PINK GIANT, I.D. —The brightest of all pinks. The large blooms are produced in abundance on good stems. Medium tall bush	1.00

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PRINCE OF PERSIA, I.D. — Large bright red, free bloomer on good stems50
PURPLE MANITOU, S.C. —Very dark purple of medium size. Good cutter50
PINK FLAMINGO, S.C. — Lovely rose pink of good size on long strong stems. One of the best of the recent introductions	3.00
RENATE MUELLER, Cac. — Rose with lavender shades. Good size blooms on long slim stiff stems. Extra free producer .....	.75
ROSE GLORY, F.D. —Large deep old rose on good stems. Fine keeper .....	.50
ROUGE BOUQUET, Cac. — Light red with gold shades on edges. Nice size flower on long stems. Very attractive .....	.75
RITA BALLIN, I.D. —A fine large lemon yellow on the best of stems. Medium tall bush branching well	1.00
RONNIE LEE, I.D. —Large apricot suffused rose red. Tall bush and a healthy grower. Comes S.C. at times	2.50

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SANTA CLAUS, I.D. —Flag red with white tips. The 7 to 8 inch blooms stand up on good long stems. Early bloomer and a real Aristocrat	1.50
SCARLET DAWN, F.D. —Large scarlet on strong stems. Tall bush .....	.50
SNOWBALL, Cactus (Berger) — One of the very best pure white cactus we have ever seen. A Holland variety receiving many awards. The size is 7 to 8 inches on the best of stems	2.00
SILVER LADY, F.D. —Lovely white with lavender shades on good long stems. A very attractive and free bloomer	1.00
STEVEN FOSTER, I.D. —Tall plants with large buff orange blooms on long stiff stems. A real good number	1.50
SUN GAY, I.D. —General appearance scarlet red with a faint light showing through the petals. The blooms are held facing on the best of strong stems. Average size 9 inches and splendid keeper. It has been listed as a semi-cactus but with us it is informal	7.50
SWEET LAVENDER, I.D. —Lovely phlox purple of medium size and one of the best bloomers we have ever grown, many of the flowers will show white tips. Lovely either way	3.50
THE COMMODORE, F.D. —One of the largest yellows, being a bright canary self. Good stems and rather a low bush .....	.50
THOMAS A. EDISON, F.D. —A favorite dark purple that has won many awards. Medium low bush with good stiff stems .....	.50
THE DRAGON, F.D. — Tall bushes with extra large apricot blooms on just right stems. There is a rose pink sheen that makes it a very attractive variety. Rugged bush	2.00
TOWN TOPIC, F.D. —Magenta purple with some blooms tipped white. Tall bush with 9 inch blooms on stiff stems	1.00
TUXEDO, I.D. —Cardinal red with gold edges on outer petals. An all over good Dahlia. Blooms will average 9 to 10 inches on perfect stems. Medium low bush	2.00
TOWER'S EMPIRE, I.D. — This variety can be grown to immense size on good long stems. The color is clear gold with amber shades .....	.50
UNITED NATIONS, I.D. —Large blooms of apricot yellow. Stems sometimes a little weak for the large blooms	1.00
VICTORY, F.D. — Good size rose pink of great depth. The stems are stiff and a general good variety	1.00
VIRGINIA RUTE, I.D. —Rich ox-blood red shaded garnet. Tall plants holding 10 inch blooms on splendid stems	1.00
WHITE ABUNDANCE, F.D. — Tall clear white that produces all season good size flowers on long stems50

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MINIATURES

These smaller type Dahlias are the same as their larger sisters in form and shape, but average three to four inches in diameter. They make wonderful table decorations and all have good stems.

ANDREA'S ORANGE, S.C. —Lovely bright orange, fine cutter .....	.50
A. D. LAVONI, Min. Ball —One of the oldest dahlias in cultivation and still very popular. Clear pink .....	.50
BARBARA DOANE, S.C. —A little gem of white edged pink. Low bush with lots of 4-inch flowers .....	.75
BABY KEITH, M.F.D. —Lovely three-inch bloom of yellow with a red background. See cut above .....	.50
BABY GRAND, S.C. —Small light lavender with white at tips and lighter at center. Low bush... ..	.50
BISHOP OF LLANDAFF, Duplex —Dark foliage with dark red flowers of three inches with a brown center. Very showy .....	.50
BLUE EYES, F.D. —Bluish lavender of three inches. Low bush .....	.50
BRONZE BALL —Five-inch ball type of clear bronze on long stems .....	.50
BUCKEYE BABY, F.D. —A dandy small golden buff. Profuse bloomer .....	.50
CARRONE, I.D. —Small waxy white on splendid stems50
CHANCELLOR, Single —Golden brown with a dark zone center50

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DUSKY —Miniature Ball of three inches. Dark maroon on good stems50
ESCORT, S.C. —Salmon pink seedling of Baby Royal with good full centers. In bloom all season50
EL TORO, Col. —Tall bush with yellow and red blooms having a white collar. New variety and very attractive .....	.75
FAIRY, M.F.D. —One of the best cut flowers on the market. The color is violet rose of three inches. Extra long stems .....	.50
FONDA, F.D. —Beautiful tones of gold at center, orchid and old rose at the tips. Small blooms freely produced on good stems .....	.75
GRACE O'NEIL, S.C. —Deep shell pink with white edges GOOD .....	.50
GRANITE FALLS, Col. —Nice, small red with yellow collar .....	.50
GOLD DROP —Small cupped shape flowers of golden bronze .....	.50
HELLY BOUDEWIJN, M.F.D. —Lovely white with cupped petals. The long stems hold three inch blooms .....	.50
IRENE ROCK, F.D. —Nearly a ball of light lavender with a darker center. Stiff stems and wonderful keeper .....	.75
KIKKY POO, M.F.D. —Small Indian tan with a suffusion of rose .....	.50
LITTLE SLAM —Sold out for this season.	
LITTLE DIAMOND —Sold out for this season.	
MARKET GLORY, S.C. —Clear bright pink of small size. GOOD .....	.75
MARKET JEWEL, S.C. —Rich velvety red. Profuse bloomer .....	.50
MINDORO, M.F.D. —A lovely long stemmed variety of light purple with small splashes of darker purple. Blooms 2 to 3 inches and produced from early till late. Nice tall bush.....	1.50
MME. BOUDEWIJN, Cac. —Small violet purple on long stems. One of the best bloomers we have .....	.50
MOZART, Ball —Pure white of six inches on stiff stems .....	.75
ORCHID LADY, I.D. —Very popular orchid lavender .....	.50
SANEE K, F.D. —Small blooms of raspberry red, stiff stems .....	.75
SAM GRADES, I.D. —One of the best small reds we grow .....	.50
SYLVIA, F.D. —Well branching bush with lots of three inch bright red flowers all season.....	.50
SNOW QUEEN, Ball —Pure white ball of 5 inches .....	.50
WINE DROP, F.D. —Tiny wine red on long stems50
WHITE FAWN, F.D. —Pure white of three inches. Very prolific50

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JOHNNY PEPPIN—Small free blooming dark crimson.

LITTLE DAVID—Lovely small orange red.

LITTLE JOHNNY—Small dark red on long stems.

LITTLE SNOWBALL—Small clear white.

LITTLE DORRIT—Small dark purple.

MINNIE MELS—Small lavender with a deeper eye.
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MARY MUNNS—Dark phlox purple. Good cutter.

MORNING MIST—White tipped lavender.

PEGGY ANN—Orange with overcast of red. Tall bush.

PRINCE CHARMING—Beautiful light lavender.

ROSE GREY—Small rose pink with a gray shade overall.

SUNBEAM—Nice red with a yellow base.

TAKA'S PURPLE—Medium size clean purple on long stems.

TAKA'S YELLOW—Clear golden yellow. Best of stems.

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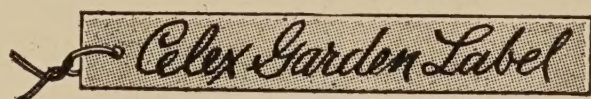
CELESTIA—The best white we know. Small on long stems.

CHITA—The best small yellow for any purpose.

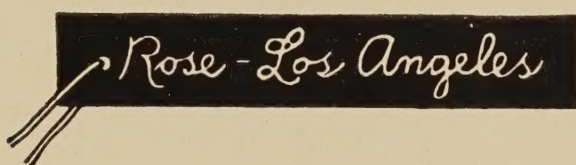
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